

tions, stated today that the big hall at Fourth and L streets has been chartered for the two days.

According to Mr. Lochner, the headquarters of the Emergency Peace Federation in New York is being swamped with telegrams from all over the United States, signifying the intention of several delegations, of taking part in the invasion of the Capital Monday. The following telegram was received by Mr. Lochner today:

Big Delegations.

"Big delegations from Chicago, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, Cincinnati, Syracuse, New York, and so forth. How about insignia for delegates? Mrs. Julia Rhenhardt will speak."

Mrs. Julia Rhenhardt, it is stated, is a prominent suffrage stump speaker who took active part in the last Presidential campaign, stumping for Wilson. The insignia spoken of in the telegram to Mr. Lochner, will consist of a small button, bearing some motto of peace. The button will be provided at the registration headquarters of the Emergency Peace Federation, 1221 Pennsylvania avenue.

Following her unsuccessful interview with Major Pullman, in which she was refused permission for a formal parade, today Mrs. Rhenhardt, on the part of the peace federation, abandoned all plans for any such parade, she stated today.

Won't Be Parade.

"We have not seen Major Pullman since," she said, "and we have entertained no such ridiculous proposition as parading on the side walks."

"What we will do cannot be called a parade. For instance, if there are 200 persons here from Philadelphia, they have a perfect right to walk up the sidewalk to the Capitol, just as 200 sightseers would have a right to do. That cannot be called parading. As I said, we have not asked for permits again, but had permits been issued for the parade planned to take place today, and we had been refused permits for Monday, then that would have been different and there might have been trouble."

According to the plans at present, each State delegation, consisting of from 20 to 500 persons, will walk together to the Capitol, along the side walks.

WOULD MAKE RICH PAY

Former Pacifists Devise New Method of Financing a War.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The strongest pacifist influence in America today suddenly turned from efforts to prevent war to specific means of financing it. Simultaneously, it became known that a plan put forward by the American committee on war finance, headed by Amos Pinchot, to place the entire financial burden of the war on persons with incomes of more than \$5,000 per year is endorsed in high government circles.

The greatest significance was placed on the sudden action of leading pacifists because of the belief that they were in close communication with Washington leaders. While they insisted that the "anti-war" peace, their actions indicated that the "hope" is practically dead.

The committee, in its announcement today, pointed out that the heavy working toll of war will be upon the working people of the country because of their great numbers.

With this in view, it calls for signatures to demand legislation for a special war income tax on all incomes over \$5,000. The schedule calls for a tax of 2 1/2 per cent on all incomes from \$5,000 to \$10,000 per year.

On all incomes over \$10,000 a sliding scale beginning at 10 per cent and rising to a point that will permit no individual to retain more than a net income of more than \$100,000 per year is proposed.

The pledge further calls for legislation limiting net profits on all war supplies to 2 1/2 per cent, and provides that no wholesale or retail dealer shall sell foodstuffs or other necessities at a profit greater than six per cent during the war.

"We do not believe that any real patriot wants the poor people of the nation to bear the burden of the cost of war in addition to the burden of fighting," said Pinchot today. "Our committee is not made up of peace-at-any-price people, and there is no one connected with the movement who has any German sympathy. Our proposal is simply predicated on the nation's experience in past wars, and is based on the belief that in the event of war there should be a genuine partnership in patriotism between the working people, who will be asked to volunteer their lives, and the wealthy, who will be called upon to give their dollars."

Surplus for Pension Fund.
The proposal may even furnish more money than is needed to finance the war. Any surplus logically could be used as a sinking fund for pensions.

"An idea of what such an emergency law would do can be seen in the case of the Du Pont family, popularly reported to have an annual income of \$80,000,000. Taking out \$100,000 allowance for each of the ten or so members of the family, would leave a net return to the Government of approximately \$79,000,000 a year."

THE WEATHER REPORT.

Forecast for the District of Columbia—Partly cloudy and warmer tonight. Sunday partly cloudy and somewhat colder, probably showers by night; moderate to fresh south winds, shifting to northwest Sunday.

Middle Atlantic States for the coming week—Partly overcast weather with probably showers the first half of the week, will be followed by generally fair weather Tuesday. The temperature during the week will average above the normal, but with cooler weather after Tuesday.

Temperatures.

8 a. m.	47
9 a. m.	53
10 a. m.	57
11 a. m.	59
12 noon	66
1 p. m.	73
2 p. m.	74

Average temperature for this date for the last 33 years—47.

Tide Table.

High tides	2:20 a. m., height 2.6
	2:45 p. m., height 2.2
Low tides	9:03 a. m., height 0.1
	9:36 p. m., height 0.0

Sun and Moon Table.

Sun rose	5:55 a. m.
Sun sets	6:31 p. m.
Moon rose	12:07 p. m.
Moon sets	2:15 a. m.

Light automobile lamps 7:01 p. m.

18 MORE WOMEN BEGIN NAVY WORK

Washington Sets Record for Country With 400 Feminine Volunteers for Duty.

With more than 600 Washington women volunteering for service in the Naval Reserve Corps, the National Capital is believed to have established a record for the entire country.

Officers at the enrollment station said today that none of the reports from other cities showed that as many as 600 women at any one place had volunteered. Even in cities much larger than Washington the number of women who have signified their willingness and readiness to serve their country has been far less than in the National Capital.

Washington is said to be the only city in which registration has had to be discontinued, temporarily, at least, because of the unceasing stream of feminine volunteers.

Eighteen women were enrolled today and immediately assigned to duty in Navy Department bureau, with the rank of third or fourth class yeoman. The women have been assigned to clerical work, operation of telephone switchboards, and stenography and typewriting.

Two of them went to work in the old Naval Hospital at Tenth street and Pennsylvania avenue southeast to assist in the enrollment of other women, while two others were detailed at the new Naval Hospital to help conduct the rigid physical examinations which all applicants must undergo. The women must stand the same physical examination as men, two nurses being assigned to this task.

The enrollments and assignments to duty today exceeded those of any previous day since it was announced that women were eligible for service. It was announced by officers in charge that seventy-five volunteers have been assigned to duty.

The eighteen volunteers put to work today as yeomen were:

Edith Mildred Walker, 3563 Eleventh street northwest.
Dessie Blad Arrington, 1004 Sixth street southwest.

Winifred Richards, 807 Varnum street northwest.

Mary Gorman Zantinger, 1440 Meridian place northwest.

Genevieve Cathleen O'Connor, 639 Fourth street northeast.

Mildred Emma Clark, 115 Maryland avenue northeast.

Clara Beatrice Watts, 181 Uhlund terrace northeast.

CYarric Louise Allen, 1501 E street southeast.

Rose Dyrenforth Knowlton, 1337 L street northwest.

Helen Walter Gridley, 1351 Monroe street northwest.

Ardelle Irving Humphrey, 1208 K street northwest.

Gertrude Powell Pendleton, 1800 K street northwest.

Jessie Maud Jacobs Capitol Heights, Md.

Ruth Estelle Woodworth, 125 Talbot street northeast.

Agnes Bernadette Caton, 12 B street northeast.

Elsie Virginia Vickery, 170 Columbia road northwest.

Marion Jackson Brown, 6441 Georgia avenue northwest.

Irma Ruell Ballou, 1807 California street northwest.

FINDS VOICE TRYING TO DIE

Stricken Dumb, Attempts Suicide, and Speech Is Restored.

KARLSRUHE, March 31.—Deaf and dumb and helpless because he had lost his speech through a nervous attack, when a giant shell exploded near him on the western front, Michael Weinmann, a soldier of one of the infantry regiments of Baden, tried to end his life recently in the military hospital at Loerrach.

The disheathered man jumped from a window of the hospital and was picked up unconscious, but the surgeons who examined him found that he had only suffered a few painful bruises.

When he opened his eyes again he uttered a cry of joy. His speech had returned.

TO DROP PATRIOTIC 'BOMBS'

Philadelphia Aviators Will Assist in Meeting's Purpose.

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—The patriotic throng of Philadelphia patriots who are expected to pack Independence square today to be thrilled by speakers of national repute will be "bombed" with stirring patriotic literature when Robert E. Glendinning and Walter Johnson, of the Government aviation school at Dayton, will circle around over the historic spot in aeroplanes.

Warlike aviation tactics will be displayed to demonstrate what it would mean if the missiles they drop were real bombs.

SENTENCED TO MAKE GOOD

Thirteen Years Later Judge Grants Permanent Freedom.

LOS ANGELES, March 31.—Furnishing proof that he had made good since he was released on his own recognizance thirteen years ago, after his arrest on a forgery charge, Charles Ross was given permanent freedom recently by Judge Willis and his case dismissed.

Mr. Ross now is a wealthy land owner of Mexico. He was released by Superior Judge B. N. Smith in 1904, and told to get out in the world and make good.

EMPLOYEES' UNION LOYAL.

The District branch of the Federal Employing Union today acted in support of the President's recent adoption of the resolutions recently adopted pledging the loyalty and support of the union in the international crisis.

The resolutions were drafted by Frank R. Dooley.

6% Interest on Savings

First-Trust Real Estate Notes
Best and safest securities; will net you 6 per cent. We have them in amounts of \$100 to \$500 for a 2-year period. Our first trusts never exceed 60 per cent of the real value of ground and buildings; makers of them must have strong financial standing also. Properties insured against fire; guaranteed title furnished free; we collect and remit interest without charge.

A. C. Moses Co., 316 N. Y. Ave. Main 4021.

DEMOCRATS CLINCH CONTROL OF HOUSE

Congressman Helgesen's Illness Practically Puts G. O. P. Out of Running.

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leasant after an attack of pneumonia, intends to be on hand, and this clears the Democratic sick list so far as known.

The House (allowing for the absences because of sickness) now stands: Republicans, 212; Democrats, 214; Independents, 3. The Democrats, therefore, have a strict two votes, whereas the two parties were tied up to a week ago. If all Democrats show up and vote for the party organization, the Democrats will have no trouble in organizing, assuming they will get at least two independent votes.

The independent votes of Louisiana, Mr. Martin is regarded as a Democrat on all questions except a protective tariff for sugar. It is currently reported and generally believed, that Mr. Martin can have a place on the Ways and Means committee, the tariff-making committee, if he votes with the Democrats. Probably he could have a place should he vote with the Republicans, but a Republican Ways and Means Committee can do little so long as the President and Senate are Democratic.

Republican Caucus Today.
Martin is an admirer of Champ Clark; he is likewise a Southerner, from an ordinarily Democratic community. The analytical politician is inclined to believe that Mr. Martin is more likely to align himself with the Democrats.

The Republican organization committee held another confab today, it was not an enthusiastic gathering, however, because the chances today are exceedingly slim that the Republicans will organize the House. In deciding to put up a ticket, therefore, the Republicans must realize they are almost without hope, and their program is one of form rather than substance.

The Republicans caucus this afternoon to hear report of the organization committee, which has met and wrangled from time to time during the past four weeks. With the bipartisan and non-partisan organization plans, suggested by the Mann and Congressman Towner, respectively, practically in the discard, the Republicans apparently have no alternative except to present a full ticket and see it defeated, unless the Democrats have the inside track on the home stretch.

FAVORS VIGOROUS POLICY

Senator Johnson Leaves No Doubt About His Vote.

"It is appropriate at this time that the American people consecrate themselves to patriotism."
This was the expression of Senator Hiram Johnson of California, who reached here last night to be on hand at the opening of the extra session Monday.

Senator Johnson departed early this morning for Philadelphia to address a patriotic meeting at Independence Hall this afternoon, which is expected to adopt resolutions in favor of universal military training.

The California Senator declined to go into details about his views as to what should be done at this time. His attitude, however, in favor of a vigorous Americanism leaves practically no doubt that he will vote for a vigorous policy in the crisis.

WILSON AWAITS CONGRESS

President to Be Prepared With Address When Legislators Organize.

President Wilson's address on the German situation will be ready for delivery to Congress as soon as that body is organized.

"The best bet is that the President will address Congress on Tuesday," said an Administration official today.

A White House attaché, who has sounded leaders in the Senate and House, said his conclusion was that the House would not be organized before 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, and that some time Tuesday probably would be the time when the President would be advised of the readiness of Congress to receive his message.

Although the President has finished the final draft of his address, the actual writing of the document has not been begun. The Cabinet is in full accord with the policy to be outlined, but the President will use his own phraseology in expressing those views. He expects to have his address ready for delivery early Monday.

The President played golf this forenoon, and expects to devote most of this afternoon to completing his message. No appointments had been made for the day. It is possible, however, that he may confer with members of his Cabinet on urgent questions late today or tonight.

DISTRICT SOLDIERS GUARDING PROPERTY

First Separate Battalion Is Patrolling Conduit and Watching Bridges.

The entire First Separate Battalion, District National Guard, composed of four companies of seventy-five men each, is today guarding Government property in the District.

Following the ordering out of Companies A and D last night, Companies B and C were placed in active service today.

Shortly before noon today the members of Companies B and C left the armory at Twelfth and U streets northwest and marched up Conduit road to Cabin John Bridge, where camp was established. The colored soldiers were given a rousing send-off by a large crowd which gathered at the armory. As the guardsmen marched, along Conduit road they sang "Tipperary" and other sprightly airs to furnish music for their hike.

The soldiers were in the highest spirit, and manifested their enthusiasm over going into the Federal service again and their pride in being the first unit of the local citizen soldiery called out.

Major James E. Walker, commanding the battalion, said Companies A and D would be camped in Potomac Park to guard bridges and Government property in that section, and Companies B and C would remain on the Conduit road until orders for change were issued by the Department of the East or the War Department.

All of the guardsmen were issued twenty rounds of ball ammunition for use in case of emergency.

The Second Cavalry detachments which established camps adjacent to the bridges, along Conduit road and other places, prepared to break camp Myer to await further orders.

KHAKI GIRLS REBUKE MEN

Illinois and Kansas "Slackers" Visited by Feminine Recruiters.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Twenty girls in khaki overcoats and army hats have joined the First Illinois Infantry as auxiliary recruiting officers.

The girls were assigned to the automobile detail, which is searching the city for recruits.

UPTON SINCLAIR GROCER

Novelist Backs Co-Operative Store to Fight H. C. of L.

LOS ANGELES, March 31.—Upton Sinclair, novelist, is backing a co-operative grocery and provision store just opened in Pasadena, which has for its announced purpose the reduction of the high cost of living. Later other stores are to be established, notably in San Francisco and Fresno, officers of the organization declare.

The Pasadena store is selling goods at market prices, but the profits come back to the members, who for the most part are leading Socialists and labor unionists, in the form of dividends.

WAR CUTS FRENCH TRAFFIC

12,000 Freight Cars Replace 70,000 of Peace Times.

PARIS, March 31.—Maurice Violette, minister of subsistence, said today in the Chamber of Deputies that in normal times there were 70,000 freight cars for the commercial needs of France, but that now it was impossible to load more than 12,000.

Potatoes, he said, were scarce only in Paris and some departments. In other departments the supply was abundant and cheap. He declared it would be necessary soon to make and sell only one kind of bread.

CHILDREN HASTEN IN HONORING DUNK

Nickels for Memorial to Washington's Best Elephant Begun to Pour In.

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Every little boy and every little girl who loved old Dunk should write a letter to The Times, and if they wish, can enclose a nickel for the memorial to him, because this tribute is going to be entirely from the children of Washington.

Sit down and write a little letter right now.

Dunk Laid to Rest.

Dunk was buried today. On the banks of the Potomac, two miles south of the Highway bridge, within sight of the Washington Monument, a burial away from the place where for a quarter of a century children and grownups showered attentions upon the animal, Dunk was laid to rest.

The huge animal was removed to the Virginia side of the river early this morning, and after portions of the skin had been removed for scientific study by Smithsonian experts the beloved elephant was laid to rest.

A portion of the head and trunk and a foot were removed by Smithsonian scientists and will be thoroughly studied before being mounted for exhibition in the National Museum.

Revered by Zoo employees and cherished for his devotion to thousands of little ones, Dunk's funeral, though tearless, was marked by expressions of regret.

Head Keeper Blackburn directed the removal of the body to the burial ground. Skilled draymen, headed by Frank Anderson, hoisted the mountainous frame upon the largest auto truck available in Washington, and the trip to the banks of the Potomac was made early in the morning.

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State Dept. Officials Regard Zimmermann Speech As Tightening Tension.

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